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All the World cries, There goes a GENTLEMAN:--*And when you have ſaid* GENTLEMAN, *you have ſaid* EVERY THING.

THE Author of my *Motto*, pronounc'd it, in a Senſe, *different* from that *uſeful* one, I propoſe to conſider it in.

For the ſake of ſome *Thouſand* pretty GENTLEMEN about Town, whoſe Eyes are too full of *Themſelves*, to diſcover the Force of this *Saying*, I will lend 'em the *Light* of a *Peruvian* Manuſcript.

A Deſcendant of one of the Great Men of the Happy Iſland of *Solomon* becoming a *Gentleman*, to ſo improv'd a Degree, as to deſpiſe the good Qualities which had originally *ennobled* his Family, thought of nothing, but how to ſupport and diſtinguiſh his Dignity, by the *Pride* of an ignorant *Mind*, and a Diſpoſition abandon'd to *Pleaſure*.

He had a Houſe near the Sea, where he ſpent great part of his Time, in *hunting*, and *fiſhing*; but found himſelf, unhappily, at a Loſs, in Purſuit of theſe *important* Diverſions, by means of a long Slip of *Marſhland*, overgrown with high *Reeds*, that lay between his Houſe and the Sea; into which if the *Beaſts* could eſcape; when he *hunted*, it became difficult to recover them: and, *thro' which* it being impracticable to *paſs*, He was oblig'd to go half a Mile round, when he was bent upon *Fiſhing*.

Reſolving at length, that it *became not a Man of* HIS QUALITY, to ſubmit to Reſtraints in his *Pleaſures*, for the Convenience of an *Obſtinate* MECHANIC; and, having endeavour'd, in vain, to *buy out the Owner*, who was an Honeſt, poor, *Basket Maker*, and whoſe Livelyhood depended on his Art in working up the *Flags* of thoſe *Reeds*; the GENTLEMAN took Advantage of a very *high Wind*, and commanded his Servants to *burn down* the Barrier.

The *Basket Maker*, on his blunt Complaint, receiving the additional Injuſtice of *Blows* and *Reproaches*, went and threw himſelf at the Feet of the *King*, and procur'd a Citation, for His Oppreſſor's *Appearance*: who confeſſing the *Charge*, proceeded to juſtify his Behaviour, by the *Poor Man's* Unmindfulneſs of the *Submiſſion*, due from the *Vulgar*, to GENTLEMEN, of *Rank*, and *Diſtinction*.

But, pray, replied the King, What Diſtinction of Rank, *had the Grandfather of* your *Father, when, being a* Cleaver of Wood, *in the Palace of my Anceſtors, He was rais'd, from among thoſe* Vulgar *you ſpeak of with ſuch Contempt, in Reward of an Inſtance he gave of his Courage and Loyalty in Defence of his Maſter? Yet*, His Diſtinction *was* nobler, *than* Yours: *I am ſorry I have a* GENTLEMAN *in my Kingdom, baſe enough to be* ignorant, *that* Eaſe *and* Diſtinction *of Fortune, were beſtow'd on him, but to* this End,--*that, being at Reſt from all Cares of providing for* HIMSELF, *he might apply his* Heart, Head, *and* Hand, *for the publick Advantage of* OTHERS.

The haughty Offender muttering out a Diſlike of the Encouragement, this way of thinking muſt give to the *Commonalty*, the King order'd a Captain of his *Gallies* to STRIP the *Injur'd*, and the *Injurer*, and, conveying them to one of the moſt barbarous *Iſlands*, leave them both to their Fortune.

The Place, in which they were landed, was a *Marſh*, under Cover of whoſe Flags, the *Gentleman* was in Hopes to *conceal* himſelf, and give the Slip, to a *Companion*, whom he thought it a *Diſgrace*, to be *found with*.---But, the *Lights*, in the *Galley*, having given an Alarm to the *Savages*, a conſiderable Body of them came down; and diſcover'd, in the Morning, the two Strangers.

Setting up a diſmall *Yell*, they ſurrounded them; and advancing, ſeem'd determin'd to *diſpatch* them with their Clubs. Here the GENTLEMAN began to diſcover, that the *Superiority of his Blood was imaginary*; For, between a Conſciouſneſs of Shame and Cold, under

under the *Nakedneſs* he had never been us'd to; a *Fear* of the Event, from the Fierceneſs of the Savages Approach;-- and the want of an *Idea*, whereby to ſoften their Aſperity, He fell *behind* the poor Sharer of his Calamity; and with an unmanly Sneakingneſs of *Mein*, gave up the *Poſt of Honour*; and made a LEADER of the very Man whom he thought it a Diſgrace, to conſider as a COMPANION.

The *Basket Maker*, on the contrary, to whom Poverty had made *Nakedneſs* habitual;---to whom, a Life of a Pain, repreſented *Death*, as not *dreadful*; and, whoſe Remembrance of his Skill, of which theſe Savages were ignorant, gave him Hopes of becoming *Safe*: having pluck'd a Handful of the *Flags*, ſat down, without Emotion: and making Signs that he would ſhew them ſomething worthy their Attention, fell to Work with Smiles and Nodding; while the Savages drew near, and *gaz'd* in Expectation of the Conſequence.

It was not long, before he had wreath'd a pretty *Coronet*; and riſing, with Reſpect, and Fearleſneſs, approach'd the *Chief*, and, placed it, gently on his Head; whoſe *Figure*, under this new Ornament, ſo charm'd his Followers, that they threw down all their *Clubs*, and form'd a *Dance* of Welcome, and Congratulation, round the Author of ſo *priz'd* a Favour; each ſhewing an Impatience to be made as *fine* as his Captain:--So, the *Basket-Maker* had his Hands full of Employment: But, the Savages, obſerving one quite *Idle*, while the other was ſo *buſy* in their Service, took up *Arms*, in the behalf of *natural Juſtice*, and began to *lay on Arguments* in Favour of their Purpoſe.

The *Basket-Maker's* PITY, now, effac'd the Remembrance of his *Sufferings*: So, He roſe, and reſcued his Oppreſſor, making Signs that He was ignorant of the Art, but might, if they thought fit, be uſefully employ'd, in waiting on the Work, and *fetching Flags*, for His Supply, as faſt as he ſhould want them.

This Propoſition, luckily, fell in with a Deſire the Savages expreſs'd to keep themſelves at Leiſure, that they might crowd round, and mark the Progreſs, of a Work they took ſuch Pleaſure in. They left the GENTLEMAN, therefore, to his Duty, in the *Basket-Maker's* SERVICE; and conſider'd him, from that Time forward, as one, who was, and ought to be treated as *Inferior* to their Benefactor.

Men, Wives, and Children from all Corners of the Iſland, came in Droves, for CORONETS: And, ſetting the *Inſtructed Gentleman* to work, to gather *Boughs* and *Poles*, made a fine *Hut*, to lodge the *Basket-Maker*: And, brought down, daily, from the Country, ſuch Proviſion, as they liv'd upon themſelves: Taking Care to offer the imagin'd *Servant* nothing, till his *Maſter* had done Eating.

Three Month's Reflection, in this mortified Condition, gave a new turn to our *Gentleman's* improv'd *Ideas*: inſomuch, that lying, weeping one Night, He thus confeſs'd his Sentiments, in favour of the *Basket-Maker*:

I have been to blame, and wanted Judgement, to diſtinguiſh between Accident, *and Excellence. The Preference* Fortune *gives, is Empty, and Imaginary: and I perceive too late, that only* Things of USE *are, naturally* HONOURABLE.---*I am aſham'd, when I compare* my Malice, *to remember Your* Humanity: *But, if the Gods ſhould pleaſe to call me to a* Repoſſeſſion *of my Rank, and Happineſs, I would* divide all *with you, in* Atonement, *of my juſtly puniſh'd* Arrogance.

He *perform'd* his Promiſe; the King ſoon after, ſending the Captain who had landed them, with *Preſents* to the Savages; and Orders to bring both back again. It continues a Cuſtom *in that Iſland*, to DEGRADE all GENTLEMEN, who cannot give a better Reaſon for their *Pride*, than that they were BORN, *to do Nothing*.---And, the *Word*, for this due Puniſhment, is,

Send him to the BASKET-MAKER's.

VIENNA, Augnſt 22.

M. du Thiel, Miniſter from France, has lately receiv'd an Expreſs from his Court with the Project for an Accommodation between this Court and that of Madrid, propos'd to the King of Spain by the French Ambaſſador there, and accepted by his Catholick Majeſty: That Project has been ſince communicated to his Imperial Majeſty, who, we hear, has deſir'd that ſome Alterations may be made in it. The Jews in Hungary have ſent up Deputies to ſupplicate the Emperor to grant ſome Diminution of the Sum demanded from them by Way of Free Gift. In a few Days we ſhall have here 400 Waggons more laden with Ammunition and Proviſion: They come from the Empire, and are to be ſent to Hungary; from whence they write, that an Edict has been lately publiſh'd there againſt carrying any Horſes out of the Kingdom, under moſt rigorous Penalties; and we learn from the Frontiers, that the Turks have alſo publiſhed a like Edict on their Side. It is reported here, that the Grand Signor has offer'd the Emperor a Part of Boſnia and Servia, upon Condition that he will not aſſiſt the Czarina in the preſent War; but it is alſo added, that his Imperial Majeſty has not as yet given any Anſwer to that Propoſition. The Proteſtants of Hungary having ſolicited the Czarina to intercede with the Emperor for Liberty of Conſcience for them, and the free Exerciſe of their Religion, that Empreſs has ſent Orders to her Miniſter here, to make the neceſſary Repreſentations in their Favour, and alſo to deſire his Imperial Majeſty to grant the like Liberty to the Greeks ſettled in his Dominions. As the Czarina repeats her Demands every Day for the 30,000 Men with which the Emperor was to aſſiſt her by Treaties, in Caſe of a War with the Turk, it is yet uncertain whether

whether his Imperial Majesty will remain neuter upon this Occasion: On the contrary, the mighty Preparations for War make us almost sure he will not. Count Konigsegg, President of the Council of War, has receiv'd a Letter from the Grand Vizir, wrote by Order of the Grand Signor, in which the Vizir gives him to understand, 'That the Sultan accepts with 'Pleasure, the Emperor's Mediation in Con-'junction with that of the Maritime Powers, 'for making up the Quarrel between his High-'ness and the Court of Russia." The Conduct of the Porte upon this Occasion plainly discovers her Weakness and the Falsity of her Principles. The first Letter from the Vizir stuff'd with Pride, Haughtiness and Injuries, made us believe at least, that the Porte having once conceiv'd a Design, would have her Glory so much at Heart as to resolve to go thro' with it; but hardly was that Letter arriv'd when comes another upon the Heels of it, begging the Mediation of the Powers of Europe. Tho' the Porte still affects a forced Loftiness in this second Letter, it is easy enough to see how much she is embarrass'd by the present Posture of Affairs, and her *Embarras* is the greater, because *a general Consternation has already seiz'd the Turkish Army*: We are assur'd that some Thousands of Soldiers deserted during their March. The Grand Vizir is the unfittest Man in the Word to inspire Courage into Troops: Bred up in Idolence and the Voluptuousness of the Seraglio, he has but a very superficial Knowledge of warlike Affairs and for this Reason the Porte has given him the Bashaw of Caramania for his Tutor and Adjunct, as being look'd upon to be a much better Soldier.

Custom-House *New-York*, *Nov.* 29. Entred In.
Sloop Two Brothers, J. Aspinwall from Boston & R. Island.
— Midnight, T. Barns from N. Carolina.
— Jacob, A. Kip from St. Augustine.
— Elizabeth, J. Knight from St. Thomas.
Scooner Thomas, S. Righton from Mountserrat.
Brigt. Speedwell, J. Welsh from Waterford in Ireland.
Ship Catharine, W. Toy from London.

Entred out.

Scooner Neptune, M. Tucker for S. Carolina.
Sloop St. Andrew, G. Leacraft for Jamaica.
Sloop Fortune, J. Mott for Barbadoes.

Cleared.

Sloop Revenge, A. Bosch to Antigua,
— Anne, T. Hill to Coracoa.
Ship Albany, W. Bryant to London.

Custom-House *Perth-Amboy*, *November* 29. Entred In.
Sloop Content, Richard Gibb from Rhode-Island.
Brigt. John, George Fraser, from Philadelphia.

Entred out.

Sloop Content, Richard Gibb for Rhode-Island.

Cleared.

Brigt. Dragon, Asher Mott to Cape-Fear.
Ship Susanna, Andrew Pringle for Lisbon.

Custom-House Philadelphia, *Entred in.*

Snow Francis and Anne, John Cox, from St. Christophers.
Brigt. John, Nicholas Guille, from Falmouth.
Sloop Samuel, William Boone, from Antigua.
Brigt. Dispatch, Benjamin Christian, from Jamaica.
— St. Andrew, Patrick Montgomerie, from New-Castle & Londonderry.
Sloop Sarah, Eben. Hawes, from Boston.
——. Winyaw, Richard Painter, from S. Carolina.

Entred Out.

Brigt. Eliz. & Anne, Gilbert M'hallen, for Belfast.
— *Britannia*, Thomas Hatton, for Jamaica.
Ship Southampton, Henry Maugre, for Cadiz.
Brigt. Sarah, Francis Curtis, for Boston.
Sloop Samuel & Sarah, William Boone, for West-Indies.

Cleared.

Ship Vigor Gally, Samuel Bromadge, to Bristol.
Snow Martha, Cornelius Kolluck, to Madera.
Brigt. Catherine, Vincent Scott, to Dublin.
— Diligence, Alexander Gordon, to Aberdeen.
Sloop Anne & Abigail, John Bartlett to Boston.
Ship Neptune, Andrew Simm, to Lisbon.
Brigt. Hampshire, George Bordman, to Antigua.
Sloop, Swansey, John [illegible], to Ditto.
Brigt. Nancy, William [illegible]on, to Dublin.
Sloop Two Brothers, Gab[illegible] Wayne to N. Carolina.
Snow Hope, George Spa[illegible], to Lisbon.

Advertisements.

WHEREAS *William Haverd* of the Township of *Merion*, in the County of *Philadelphia*, has Clandestinely made a Bill of Sale to his Brother *John Haverd*, of the Township of *Haverford* in *Chester* County, of a young Negroe Man named *Tom*, belonging to Capt. *George Roche* of the Island of *Antigua*; which said Negroe Man he left with me his Daughter, until further Orders, I having no Power to Dispose of the said Negroe Man: This is to give Notice to all Persons that they may not be imposed on by purchasing the said Negroe. *Elizabeth Haverd.*

November 30. 1736.

JOHN GOODWIN,

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Notice is hereby given,

THAT Samuel Neave, *intending to go for* LONDON, *will leave this Province in about* Fourteen *Days: And all Perſons who have any Accounts with him, are* once more *deſired to ſettle the ſame within the ſaid Term.*

Philad. Nov. 25. 1736.

THIS *is to give Notice, that* John Wilkinſon, BRUSHMAKER, *in* Second-Street *oppoſite to the* Poſt-Office, Philadelphia, *deſires all Planters, Storekeepers, Pedlars and others, to ſave and gather all the Hog's Briſtles they can, and bring or ſend them to him, who will give from* Six Pence *or* Eight Pence to Ten Pence *a Pound, according as they are in Goodneſs, combed or uncombed, it being no more Trouble, when People are ſcalding their Hogs, than to take all the Briſtles that grow on the Back, and throw them from the reſt of the Dirt, and afterwards either comb 'em or lay 'em by in the rough.* Note, *That he buys from the largeſt Quantities to the ſmalleſt, he uſing large Quantities every Week.*

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John Wilkinſon.

Philad. Nov. 17. 1736.

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Whoever ſecures the ſaid Servants ſo that they may be had again, ſhall have Three Pounds *Reward for the Man, and* Forty Shillings *for the Woman, and reaſonable Charges paid by*

Philad Nov. 18. 1736. Nathanael Grub.

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